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LVOV AMMUNITION DEPOT
NORTHWEST PUG
LVOV, USSR
CARPATHIAN MD

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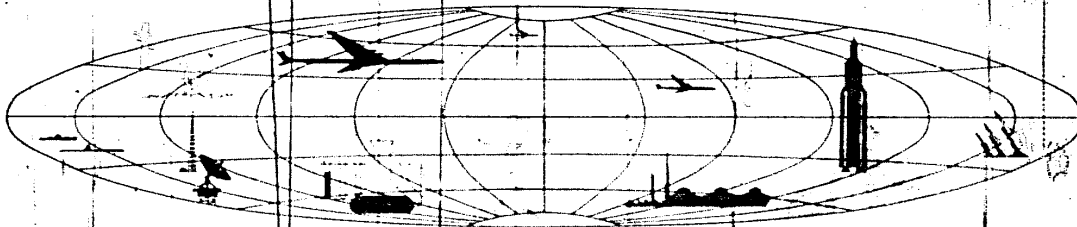
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PREFACE

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Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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LVOV AMMUNITION DEPOT NORTHWEST PUG

(49-53N 023-57E)

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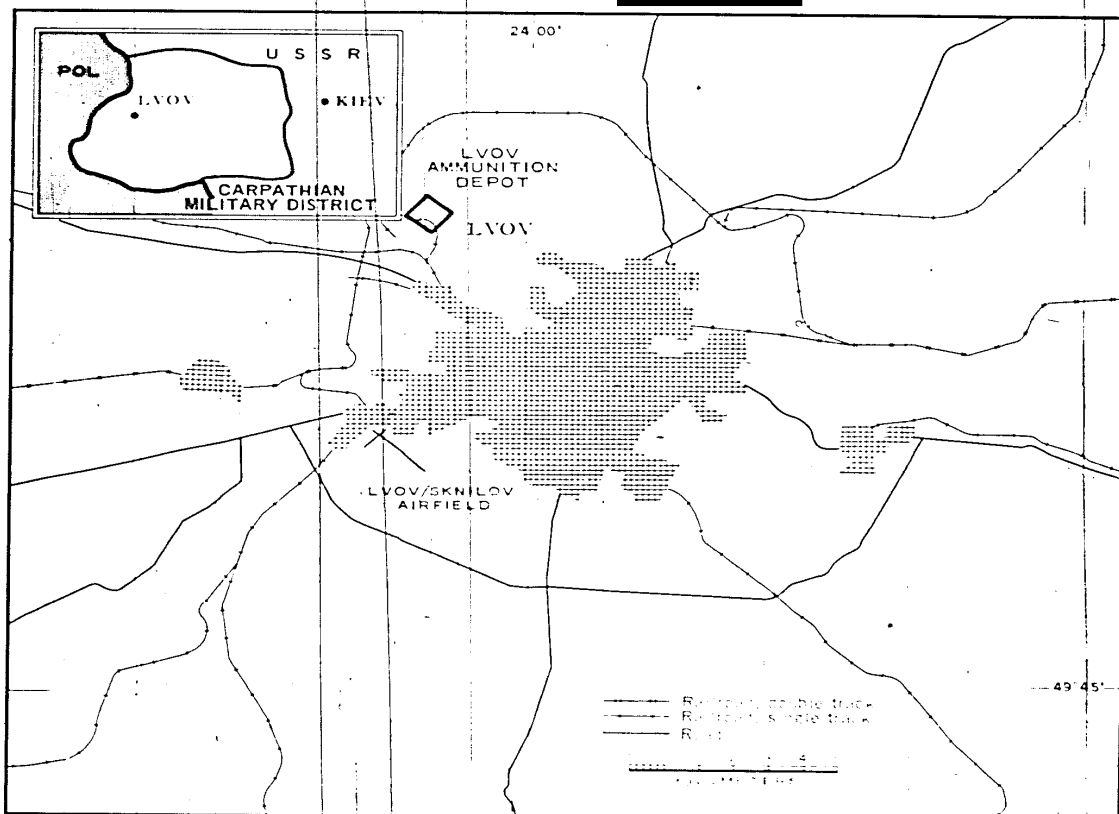


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF LVOV AMMUNITION DEPOT NORTHWEST PUG.

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SUMMARY

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Lvov Ammunition Storage Depot Northwest PUG covering approximately 475 acres is located about 7 kilometers (km) northwest of the center of Lvov (Figure 1), adjacent to the Lvov-Nesterov rail line. The installation includes (Figures 2 and 3) a large, double-secured storage area with approximately 41 explosives storage buildings and a support area with three barracks, two administration buildings, three storage buildings, and five support buildings.

A rail spur from the Lvov-Nesterov rail line serves the storage area along the southern half. Four storage buildings are located along this rail spur. A majority of the storage buildings, approximately 31, are revetted with earth walls on at least one side and located in heavy woods. No definite pattern or uniformity appears

in the placement of these buildings. Roads within the area are poor, apparently dirt, and running at random through the woods. Good all-weather roads connect the installation with the city of Lvov.

Approximately 15 new buildings have been added in the storage area since [REDACTED]. The support area may contain additional buildings; however, the scale and quality of the photography preclude detailed interpretation of the heavily wooded area in the north section.

This installation probably serves the numerous military installations and two training areas within the Lvov area.

The installation was covered by [REDACTED] KEY-HOLE Missions between [REDACTED]

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DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

Two spurs from the main line run to two, 140- by 40-foot and 210- by 50-foot, track-side docks. Four buildings are along the tracks.

Road Service

Good roads connect the area with the city of Lvov.

Aircraft Landing Strip

Lvov Airfield is 8 km south.

Administrative and Troop Housing Area

Area D contains three multistory barracks,

two multistory administration buildings, three storage buildings, and seven support buildings.

There are probably more buildings in the woods, but scale and quality of the photography preclude further interpretation.

Ammunition Storage Area

Area F contains 41 explosives storage buildings, seventeen 100- by 35 feet, thirteen 130- by 40 feet and eleven 200- by 40 feet. Most of the buildings are revetted. The area is located in heavy woods.

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FIGURE 2. LVOV AMMUNITION DEPOT NORTHWEST PUG

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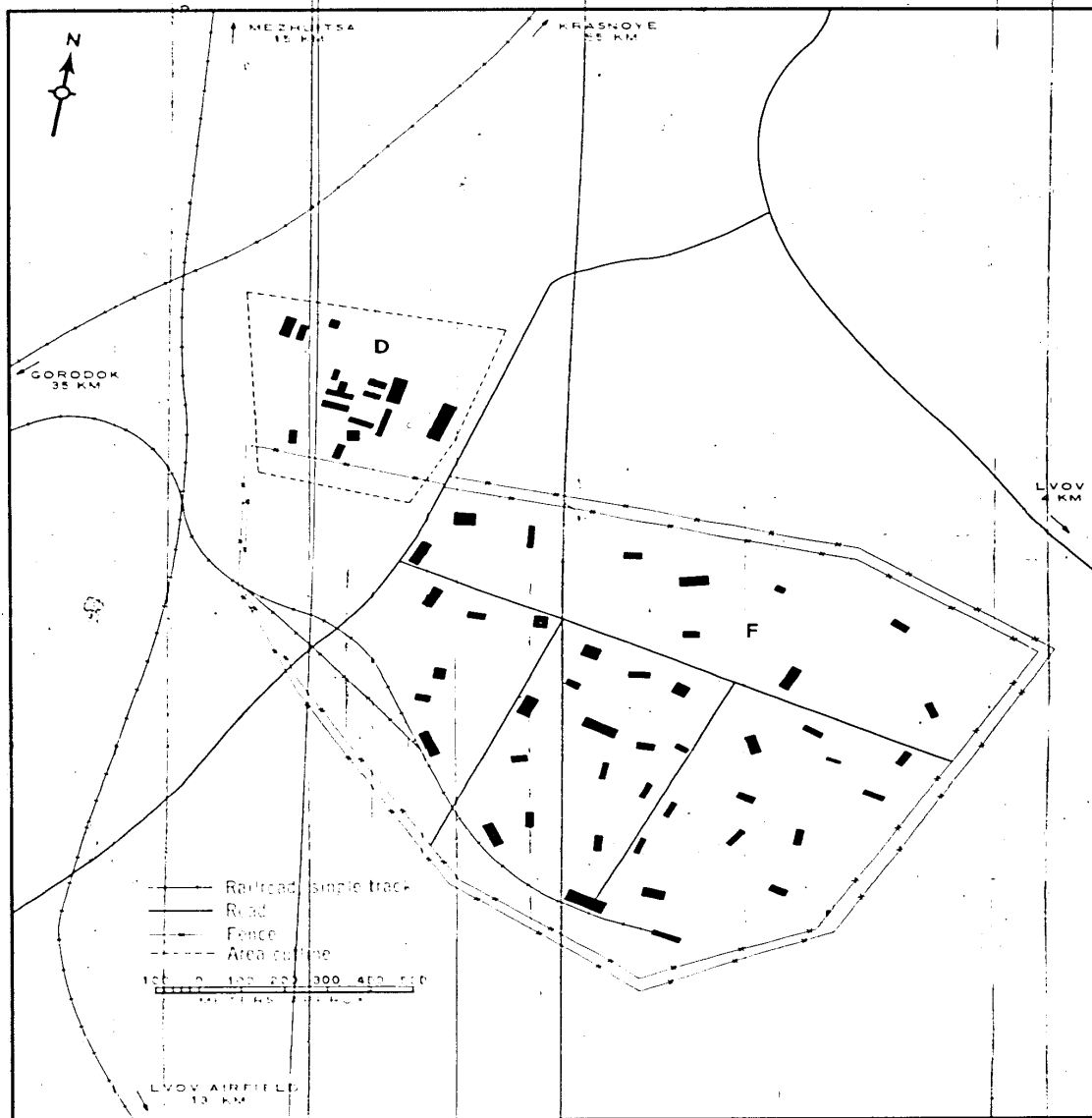


FIGURE 3. LVOV AMMUNITION DEPOT NORTHWEST PUG. Sketch compiled from [REDACTED]

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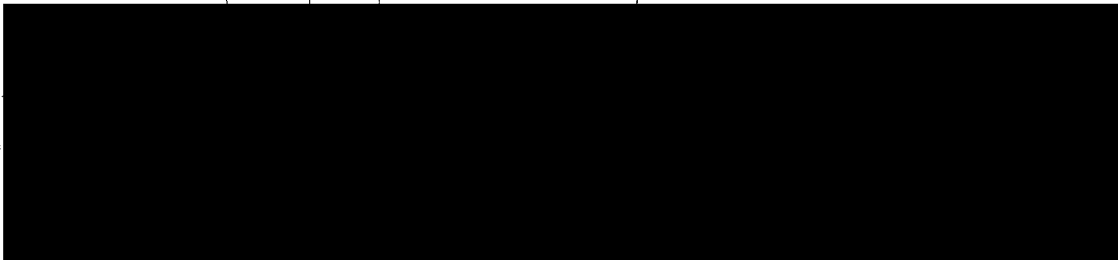
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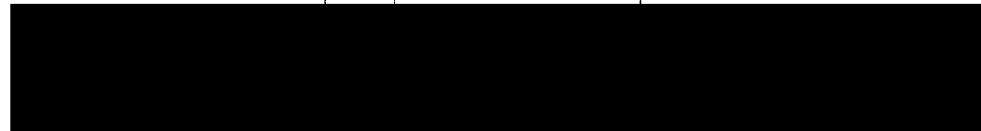
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